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SUBJECT: DISCUSSION WITH MIN EDUCATION ABOUT 19TH GC OF UNESCO

REF A BANJUL 1217, B STATE 235117

1. CHARGE SPOKE OCT 19 WITH MIN EDUCATION, M.C. CHAM, WHO LEAVES BANJUL OCT 21 TO HEAD GAMBIA DEL 19TH GC OF UNESCO IN NAIROBI. REITERATING POINTS RAISED EARLIER WITH ACTING SEC GEN (REF A), CHARGE EXPLAINED SPECIAL US INTEREST IN ISRAEL'S INCLUSION UNESCO EUROPEAN REGION.

2. CHAM LISTENED ATTENTIVELY, AGREED THAT PRINCIPLE OF ASSIGNING MEMBER STATES TO REGIONS BASED ON WISHES MEMBERS OF REGION CONCERNED WAS SOUND, BUT DID NOT COMMIT GOTG TO ANY PARTICULAR COURSE OF ACTION. MIN SAID HE WOULD BE UNDER INSTRUCTIONS WHICH WOULD NOT GIVE WIDE LATITUDE. CHAM APPRECIATES SERIOUS UNESCO FINANCIAL PROBLEM BUT IN NON-POLEMICAL WAY OBJECTED TO WITHHOLDING BY MAJOR POWERS OF FUNDS TO REINFORCE POSITION ON POLITICAL ISSUES. BUT HE ALSO REGRETTED INCREASED POLITICIZATION UNESCO AND OTHER SPECIALIZED AGENCIES.

3. IF MATTER COMES TO VOTE, WE WOULD EXPECT GAMBIA WILL ABSTAIN OR BE ABSENT, AS IN 1974.

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